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Application Number	09/752,120
Filing Date	29 Dec 2000
First Named Inventor	J. Estrada
Art Unit	2173
Examiner Name	Kieu D. Vu
Attorney Docket No.	LOT920000021US1

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

- a.  Previously submitted
  - i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on 21 Feb 2004.  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered.)
  - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \*\*\*\*\*.
  - iii.  Other
- b.  Enclosed
  - i.  Amendment/Reply
  - ii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
  - iii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
  - iv.  Other

2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of \*\* months.  
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i) required).
- b.  Other

3. FEES

- a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 12-2158
  - i.  RCE fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(e)
  - ii.  Extension of time fee (37 CFR §§1.136 and 1.17)
  - iii.  Other
- b.  Check in the amount of \$ enclosed
- c.  Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

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